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### LOOK OUT FOR DODDER!

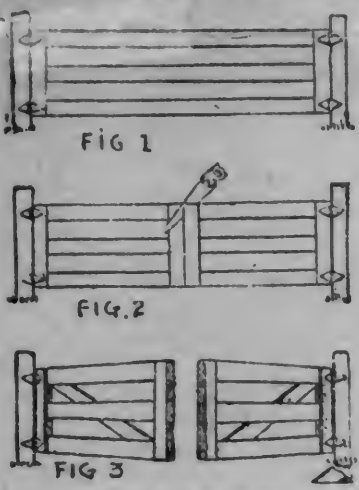
Read Imported From Chile's Deadly Mixed With Harmful Weed Product. The United States Department of Agriculture announces that since July 1, 1910, twenty-three lots of clover seed of probable Chilean origin aggregating 37,000 pounds have been imported into the United States. In all of these shipments two kinds of dodder seed characteristic of Chilean red clover seed are present. At a normal rate of seeding these shipments are sufficient to seed approximately 40,000 acres, and at this rate of seeding an average of approximately 450 dodder seeds would be sown on each square rod.

The sowing of this Chilean seed means that the clover crop on a considerable proportion of the area on which it is seeded will be destroyed by dodder, and farmers should be on their guard against purchasing this seed. Unfortunately most of these importations have gone into the southern part of the clover producing region where this dodder will undoubtedly prove disastrous. This Chilean clover seed is itself especially fine looking seed, being dark colored and approximately 50 per cent larger in size than ordinary red clover seed produced in the United States. It will therefore doubtless receive a ready sale on account of its fine appearance.

### TO HANG A DOUBLE GATE.

Directions For Making So It Will Swing True and Latch Properly. There are many farmers who prefer to use a double gate, and yet there are comparatively few who are successful in hanging these double gates so that they swing true or latch properly, says the Kansas Farmer. The drawing herewith indicates a method by which this may be accomplished with very little trouble and absolutely accurate results.

Build the gate all in one structure and nail the crosspieces in place in the middle. Prop the gate into position between the two posts and attach the hinges to both ends. Be sure that the hinges are large enough and strong enough to support the gate when in use. It is better to have them too large than too small. After the gate has been attached to the hinges at both ends saw it in two, as shown in the drawing, and the work is done. It may be desirable to place the middle crosspieces which will be the ends of the half gates a little distance



DOUBLE FARM GATE.

apart and saw out the boards between in order that they may not bind in case of wet weather. This will simply require two sawings instead of one. If diagonals are necessary they may be attached either before or after the gate is sawed, but they should always be put on in the manner shown in the lower drawings. Have the upper end of the diagonal attached near the upper hinge, as this is the only way it can be put on to absolutely prevent sagging. If the diagonal is reversed and the upper end placed at the other end of the gate it encourages sagging by its faulty construction as well as by its added weight.

A neat farm gate of whatever type adds materially to the appearance and value of the farm house.

To be obliged to make a poor farm pay is good training, for when you get a better one you know the trick.

### Live Stock Notes.

Wheat, bran and oats make strong boues in the coll. A poorly nourished, stunted two-year-old filly should not be bred. Don't leave a horse bated by driving to stand exposed in a cold wind. Too many farmers sacrifice quality for more size in the selection of a ram. It never pays to keep old worn-out animals except as a matter of sentiment. It is well to cull very closely in cattle, swine and poultry. There is nothing like milk for making hogs out of pigs. It is their natural food, and when used with a grain ration will develop pork more rapidly than any other feed. It pays to keep cows just for the pigs. Do not feed pigs too much corn while they are young. Corn is a fat producing food and does not necessarily grow. Feed shorts linkage, shorts and bran in sufficient quantity to cause rapid growth. The Wraying experiment station, after repeated trials, concludes that corn and the bearded or Scotch barley when fed with alfalfa were about equal in value for mutton production. Barley in this test proved to be a shade the better. Twenty-seven per cent less alfalfa and 25 per cent less grain were required where barley replaced either in a ration.



### STARTING A POULTRY PLANT

First Consideration is Suitable Location—Dry Porous Soil of Gravelly Nature is Best.

The first consideration in establishing a poultry farm is a suitable location. An elevation having natural drainage away from the area where the building is to be placed should be sought, as the ground, no matter of what nature, will be cold and unhealthy if damp. If the proposed site does not afford drainage naturally it should be provided in the form of a thorough system of under-drainage. A dry, porous soil of a sandy or gravelly nature is much more satisfactory than an impervious clay soil, as that of the more open nature is more easily kept in a clean and sanitary condition. A gentle slope facing the south or southeast is preferable in order that the fowls may receive as much sunlight as possible during the short days of winter. Orchards are very desirable as locations for poultry runs on account of the shade which the trees afford during the hot summer days, and in return for the shade thus provided the poultry will prove a valuable ally to the orchardist in combating many injurious insects.

There are a few things which should be observed in the construction of all houses and if observed the fowls should keep healthy and thrive. A house which will not permit of a full circulation of fresh air should

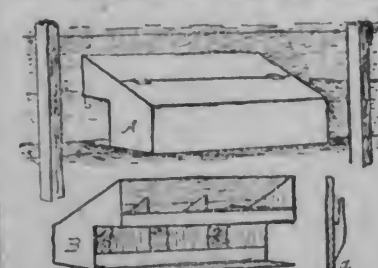
not be built, as it is likely to become damp and stuffy. Care should be observed to prevent drafts as they are as fatal to good results as dampness. If the house is already constructed and it proves damp, filling the loft (if it has one) with dry, clean straw will materially improve it.

When dropping boards are used they should be low to permit of easy cleaning. They should be made of matched lumber and be twenty inches wide for one perch and three feet wide for two perches. The first perch placed at least ten inches from the wall. A good roost may be made from material 2x2 inches then slightly rounded on the edges.

Mr. Julian E. Seavey, a New Hampshire man, thus describes a house for chicks, which he has found to be very satisfactory:

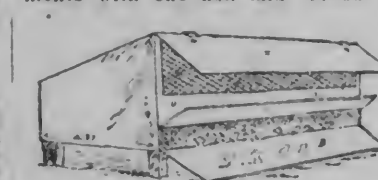
My chick house is 4x3 feet, 4 feet high in front and 2 1/2 at the back, with floor of 1/2 inch stones under it. The sloping raceway (B) is convenient when chicks pass in and out. I simply raise bottom board (C) and fasten up, to let chicks all out at once. (D, D) is stationary netting. To feed chicks the wire netting (E, E) is made to take down from one end. The top boards (F) are hinged (G, G) to be open or shut as I choose.

When chicks are small I use two inch partitions, giving three apartments with one hen and brood in



Mr. Seavey's Chick House.

each. These partitions I removed after taking hens from chicks and put in roost. I put two slat frames at bottom to keep hen in when board (C) was up. I like this style of house. It is easy to clean by simply hoisting out at the bottom and putting in fresh sawdust.



Mr. Seavey's Chick House.

Work. While interesting and important, is Unavoidably Slow—Trap Nest Demands Much Time.

### SELECTING GOOD EGG LAYERS

The work of selecting and breeding from good egg-laying strains of fowls is most interesting and important. The work of developing prolific egg-laying strains of fowls is unavoidably slow and is rendered still more difficult where a large number of fowls are kept. A busy farmer is not likely to have time to attend to any more than a limited number of hens by the trap-net method and it is doubtful if it will ever become popular with him. Although mechanically correct in securing results, it is a system demanding unflinching attention, for at least the forefront of the day, and entailing the keeping of correct records of both male and female lineage. It is most important that the male birds used as breeders should come from a prolific egg-laying strain of females.

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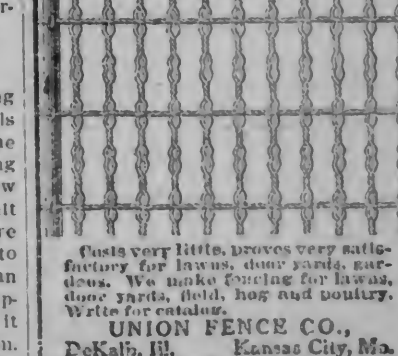
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**THURSDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1914.**  
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Now that the investigation is over and the report has been made a matter of record, let us concede that the Maine was blown up by a few healthy, good tempered Spanish boys who ought to be hailed as "heroes."

RETAILERS of Christmas trees complain that the prices asked of them are excessive. This may be a move in the direction of conservation. It can have no effect this year, for the trees are already cut, but in several thousand of them should be left on the hands of the wholesale speculators fewer trees would be cut next year.

Good use is made of the material excavated in digging the Panama Canal by filling up the tidal swamps at either end of the canal strip. This is a work of permanent sanitary value. The swamps are the breeding places of mosquitoes and malaria. The filled-in areas afford sites for necessary yarding and building purposes. Whenever Philadelphia wakes up from its slumbers and sets about putting its great commercial opportunities in shape for commercial use there will be some sanitary tidal swamp filling for which the excavated rock and mud in the river channel may be put to permanent and profitable use. The intelligent engineering at Panama furnishes a valuable object lesson.

"SEVENTY YEARS OF NATIONAL PROGRESS" is the inscription on the title page of a handsome memorial number of The New York Tribune commemorating seventy years of service in helping to push forward the car of progress. No other newspaper in the United States has done stouter or more persistent work in the field of national advancement. Whether The Tribune has been right or wrong in the policies it has advocated or opposed in the stirring and fateful years of its publication, it has always been credited with sincerity of purpose and ability of direction. It has never stooped to yellowness.

The reduction of cable rates between America and Europe and arrangements perfected for a system of cable letters will prove of great help to international business undertakings. Every reduction of tolls narrows the Atlantic barrier. The negotiations with the cable companies might be advantageously pushed forward so as to procure some reduction of the almost prohibitory rates to South and Central America. The campaign for reciprocal trading would be far advanced by the help of reciprocal cabling, for which there is the greater need because of the slowness and uncertainties incident to the transmission of the mails.

## The New Farm Hand.

Each day new methods are being tried out and applied to every line of industry. Discoveries are made for the benefit of the professions, the world at large, the housekeeper and home maker, and at last the farmer, too, the backbone of the country, is coming in for his share. A system revolutionary in its scope, greater than the power of man and the strength of horse and mule endurance is being evoked to the farmer's aid in the tilling of the soil, increasing his ability to "make two blades of corn grow where only one grew before." This idea is readily grasped when it is said that the new method eliminates to some extent the world-aged practice of hand plowing, and that as low as 5 per cent. and as high as 85 per

cent. increase from the novel order of progressive farming is proven by statistics.

The name of this new and powerful farm hand is dynamite.

Ditches are dug, stumps removed, post holes made, cellars excavated, rocks broken up, swamp land reclaimed and the process of subsoiling so much insisted upon by farming experts, all by the aid of this master magician, dynamite.

Quite naturally the first thought that arises in the tremendous mind in regard to this new method is that of its danger. The second is the cost of such operation. We will reverse these two mental questions and deal first with the cost, taking one acre of land as a basis from which to work.

The cost of the dynamite used to subsoil one acre of land for alfalfa was \$7.50, the cap cost \$1.94, the fuse \$3, and the two men who drilled the holes asked \$2 for their services. It cost exactly \$14.44 to subsoil one acre of land, and the work is done for 20 years.

Now as to the danger. Dynamite as made for farm purposes cannot be made to explode until it comes in contact with the more highly explosive cap. The thing to do is to keep the caps and the dynamite far apart until the proper time to bring them into contact, and the correct method of bringing them in contact is by the slow fuse, which first explodes the cap, and then the cap explodes the dynamite.

When the fuse begins work it is at least two minutes before its explosive properties reach the cap, and gives ample time for getting out of the way if necessary, but in the case of subsoiling it is not necessary. There is a slight sound, a tremor of the earth for 10 feet, little dories of earlike mole tracks are made in the ground. That is all, and in 40 minutes the entire acre was subsoiled.

For subsoiling the dynamite is planted in holes three feet deep and from 10 to 15 apart, according to the character of the soil. In the case of an acre for alfalfa the holes were made 15 feet apart. An hour was consumed in preparing the dynamite, attaching the fuses and the caps, and then it took less than a half hour to insert the dynamite cartridges in the holes that it took two good workmen only one morning to dig. The cartridges or half cartridges were easily put in the holes, forced to the bottom with a hoe handle, and then a little tamping was done.

Only small charges of dynamite are used, the holes are drilled from 18 inches to 3 feet deep, as near or far apart as needed for different plowing, and the results far surpass that of the old time method of mules and plows. The rows are even, the ground upheaved for considerably deeper than ordinary custom, setting free certain earth and gaseous elements much needed and hitherto unattainable.

It is particularly good for rocky sections of the country and clay subsoil. A dynamite cartridge put three feet in the ground and properly exploded works to the north, east, west and south toward China and upward toward the stars. It will tear up the soil to a depth of something like five feet from the surface, and from a distance of from 5 to 10 feet on either side. One hundred and ninety four explosions are calculated to an acre, and the earth over the entire acre is shaken up to a depth of five feet. The crop or crops to be planted are given all the advantages of subsoiling deeper than any plow can possibly reach, and once the land has been so subsoiled it is drought proof for at least 20 years.

Land made infertile by hard clay, shale, conglomerate or poor soil can be made into highly productive soil by the dynamite blast. Barren trees in old cast-away orchards are given a new lease on life by the loosening of the hard packed earth, which virtually strangles their roots. After subsoiling by dynamite they revive as if by magic.

Fruit trees planted in holes dug by dynamite show a growth of 10 feet in the same period of time required by their brothers in spaded holes for an eight-foot development. A threefold yield of fruit is the frequent result of following the dynamite method in fruit-tree planting. By this method, too, to set out a thousand trees is a comparatively easy task, the only labor being punching the holes in earth with an iron bar and the priming and fixing of the cartridges. Not only do the explosives break up

and loosen the earth, but they annihilate the underground army of bugs, gnats and insects. It also exterminates moles and other earth dwelling animals.

No more must the farmer plow about large rocks or boulders or tree stumps. He only splits the power of a dynamite cartridge and places the explosive, inserting the blasting cap and fuse. The rocks are broken up, and suitable now for street paving or other purposes, while from the aprouted tree stump is an abundance of stovewood or fuel.

Dynamite has forever scattered the theory that a scant 10 inches of earth is all that is of value to the farmer. The subsoil when broken to a depth of four to six feet releases a vast amount of natural plant food and gives a greatly increased storage for rainwater which becomes available during periods of drought.

Another benefit is the drainage of surplus water in time of a superabundance of rainfall.

Subsoil plowing does not, of course, entirely obviate the necessity of using the plow for top soil cultivation. It extends the breaking up of the soil to a greater depth. It is a simple farm operation, the dynamite charges dropped down into holes the required depth and distance apart and the fuses lighted by men passing along the line with torches or red hot bars of iron. When the fuse begins work it is at least two minutes before its explosive properties reach the cap, and that gives ample time for getting out of the way if necessary, but in the case of subsoiling it is not necessary. There is a slight sound, a little tremor of the earth, and in 40 minutes the entire acre is subsoiled. Stump removing is different, and care must be taken in that case to get out of the way.

Swamp land, which needs but draining in order to become the richest part of the farm, is easily accomplished. The farmer and his man use two inch dirt augurs to bore six or eight holes through the clay subsoil, dynamite drops down, channels are ripped in every direction through which the water flows to be distributed throughout the sand or gravel or clay below, and the swamp land is now a thing of the past.

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Overdrafts, secured and unsec.	1,103.11
U. S. Bonds to secure circ'n.	30,000.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	300.00
Bonds, securities, etc.	75,301.03
Banking house, fur. and fixt.	11,000.00
Due from State and Private Banks & Bankers, Trust Co.'s and Savings Banks	7,814.25
Due from approved res. agts.	92,322.17
Checks and other cash items	566.94
Notes of other National Banks	6,953.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents	107.01
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz: Specie	19,455.00
Legal-tender notes	1,500.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. circulation)	1,500.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$663,427.95</b>

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Capital stock paid in	30,000.00
Surplus fund	15,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	4,319.74
Unpaid bank notes outstanding due to other National Banks	30,000.00
Due to State and Private Banks and Bankers	18,994.54
Due to approved res. agts.	
Dividends unpaid	
Ind't deposits sub. to check	211,406.09
Time certificates of deposit	124,062.96
Verified checks	53.25
Cashier's checks outstanding	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$663,427.95</b>

State of Kentucky, County of Middleburg, ss: I, J. T. Reynolds, Jr., Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. J. T. Reynolds, Jr., Cashier.

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of Dec, 1914.

J. T. CATHAM, Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan. 14, 1915.

The Christmas spirit is already manifest in a marked degree. Any observant person will notice the bright faces and manicured hands of many small boys who are not always thus. Cleanliness, like other virtues, may be its own reward, but it is hoped that the youngsters may get the additional recognition of some Santa Claus.

Mr. Clarence Allen died of tuberculosis at his home near Weir last Saturday, following an illness of some duration. Interment was at Friendship Sunday, and there were many friends and relatives present. His wife died about a year ago, but he is survived by three small children.

A new born baby of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Allen died at their home near Weir yesterday, and will be buried at Friendship today.

Soot afire in a flue at the home of Miss Lillian Craig last Wednesday evening caused an alarm to be turned in, but the blaze was extinguished with small loss, before the department reached it.

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" 25 " Rose Bowl	"	15 "
" " " Vase	"	15 "

We will have these goods on display in our Snow Window Saturday and offer you these goods at Cost to get you to see our big line of Xmas Goods.

## Physicians Advise

the use of a good laxative, to keep the bowels open and prevent the poisons of undigested food from getting into your system.

The latest product of science is VELVO Laxative Liver Syrup, purely vegetable, gentle, reliable and of a pleasant, aromatic taste. Velvo acts on the liver, as well as on the stomach and bowels, and is of the greatest possible efficacy in constipation, indigestion, biliousness, sick headache, feverishness, colic, flatulence, etc. Try it.

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Cor. 12th. and Water Streets Near I. C. Depot.

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You can drive your wagons in on Cooper's Loose Floor night or day.

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Money paid immediately after each sale.

Market now open. We solicit your business and will use our best efforts for your interest. As this is our 25th. year, we ask you to make this the Biggest year in the history of the Loose Floor Market. The fairest way to sell tobacco. Every Buyer attends each sale. You will get the Highest Market Price.

Respectfully,

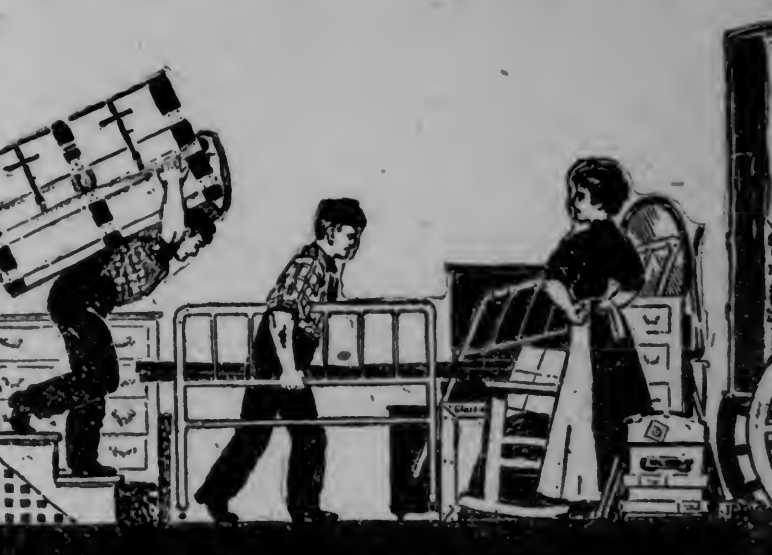
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## A Clean Man

Outside cleanliness is less than half the battle. A man may scrub himself a dozen times a day, and still be unclean. Good health means cleanliness not only outside, but inside. It means a clean stomach, clean bowels, clean blood, a clean liver, and new, clean, healthy tissues. The man who is clean in this way will look it and act it. He will work with energy and think clean, clear, healthy thoughts. He will never be troubled with liver, lung, stomach or blood disorders. Dyspepsia and indigestion originate in unclean stomachs. Blood diseases are found where there is unclean blood. Consumption and bronchitis mean unclean lungs.

**Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery** prevents these diseases. It makes a man's insides clean and healthy. It cleans the digestive organs, makes pure, clean blood, and clean, healthy flesh.

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The best homes and apartments are wired for electric light. No other light compares with electric light in convenience and safety. Every home can now afford electric lighting because new Edison Mazda Lamps give more light than any other lamps using an equal amount of electric current.

New Edison Mazda Lamps are now strong enough for all practical purposes when given ordinary care in handling. The light giving filament is made from drawn tungsten wire that is as strong as steel.

Come in and see these lamps to-day.

Greenville Light & Water Co.



# OLD SANTA CLAUS IS HERE

And Is Making His Headquarters At BRIZENDINE'S

## C. R. R. LOCAL TIME CARD.

SOUTH BOUND	
12 Louisville Express	11:45 am
122 Cincinnati Express	1:15 pm
124 Louisville Limited	1:45 pm
126 Central City accommodation	2:15 pm
NORTH BOUND	
127 Cincinnati and Galois express	3:15 am
128 Pullman accommodation	12:40 pm
129 New Orleans special	3:40 pm
130 N. O. spec. (Louisville the passenger only)	1:20 am
June 5, 1911.	W. G. Crawford, Asst.

**I Want You, Little Woman!**  
I want you, little woman, when the blue is growing dark,  
And the building shadows stretch themselves across the City Park,  
When the sturdy day is weary and goes away,  
With its forehead on the bosom of the Evening in the West.  
I want you, little woman, when I wander sadly about,  
To the sea-walled Battery, the Birthplace of the Town;  
Where the white waves and the warships in a dreary monotony  
Murmure: "Where is she, my Lady, why walk you here alone?"  
I want you, little woman, when the city lamps are lit,  
And I see a happy couple where we were wont to sit,  
And I look my love within me and I wonder home to sleep,  
Where a man may play at childhood and the dear God let him weep.  
Frank Butler.

## Local Mention.

Don't forget the bazaars in your Christmas shopping.

Water courses have been out of banks this week.

Oysters, Celery, Fish at Coombs & Co.

Mr. J. S. Brizendine made a business trip to Louisville the latter part of the week.

Make gals for a lifetime from Roark's furniture stock.

Christmas remembrances promise to be more general this year than heretofore.

Although the season is late, there is still much building activity here and near.

Turkeys for sale by Mrs. R. E. Frazier, Powderly, Ky.

Orien L. Roark was in Louisville on business during the week.

Do your Christmas shopping now—only nine more days in which to do it.

If you want that dead watch or clock put to work, let Mc have it and he will put it to running.

Our revised and annotated notion of nothing to have around the house is the Christmas toys a month hence.

White and colored cardboard, mat papers, etc., can be had at this office.

Good morning! Are you making preparations so that some one else may have a happy Christmas?

Santa Claus goods are open at Brizendine's, and everyone is invited to call.

Mr. Jerrold A. Jonson and wife, of Madisonville, were here Sunday with Judge J. C. Jonson, who has been ill, but is improving.

Train schedules are very irregular, and it is no uncommon thing for a passenger train to be several hours late.

Fresh, smoked and salted meats of all kinds at J. E. Coombs & Co's market.

Mr. J. H. Bohannon was in Louisville a few days last week with his brother, Dr. Geo. Bohannon, and was attending to some business affairs.

R. Martin & Co., have kindly offered a nice prize for the most attractively or originally dressed doll. All ladies are urged to enter this contest. Many beautiful dolls are now being dressed. As this will be the leading feature of the bazaar which will be held in the gymnasium of the Y. M. C. A.

Get mounts for calendars, mottoes, etc. at this office.

Tobacco users have been getting in full days and nights this week stripping the weed, and with warm weather there will be immense deliveries.

All kinds fresh and salted meats at J. E. Coombs & Co.

A general delivery of tobacco would make a happier Christmas for all of us.

You will want to visit The Miniature Store which will be in connection with the bazaar held on Friday afternoon and evening, December 15th., in the gymnasium of the Y. M. C. A.

Most stores will be open evenings until the holidays, so that shoppers may have better opportunity and more time in which to do their shopping.

New dill pickles are in at Howard's.

Business is improving in police court, and there promises to be the usual holiday rush. Special Judge McCracken has already been called upon numerous, and his training in circuit court circles is manifest in his decisions.

See Briz's Saturday specials.

The lake at the water and light plant gathered a vast amount of water from the rains this week, but it will require several such to cause an overflow, as the water level was very low this fall, and two months longer without rain would have about exhausted the supply.

Good roads have obtained for some weeks, on account of the weather, but for the same reason there has been quite a change of conditions this week. Some day, undoubtedly, Muhlberg will have roads that are permanent, and good, despite weather conditions.

Window glass, all sizes and very low in price. 8x10 inch glass, 2 for 5c. We have the largest stock in the county, and are prepared to cut to any odd size. Try us. C. M. Howard & Co.

Greenville Camp No. 11702 M. W. of A. will hold a debate at their lodge room on the night of Dec. 19th. Subject: Resolved, That Suffrage Should be Extended to Women in All Elections. Some great oratory is expected of Farmer Oates, C. S. Curd and others.

A nice lunch will be served by the Ladies' Auxiliary for ten cents at their bazaar held on December 15th., afternoon and evening. Candies, cakes, fancy work, aprons, and goods from The Miniature Store will be for sale.

Calley Briggs, colored, who died at McHenry last Friday of consumption, was buried here Saturday afternoon. She was a native of this place, and requested that her body be brought here for interment. Rev. Payne conducted a service at the A. M. B. Zion church, and burial followed in Fairmount cemetery, in the west end.

We have opened a cask of H. J. Heinz dry pack white kraut. C. M. Howard & Co.

The Woman's Auxiliary will have aprons, fancy work, hankerbies, dolls, cakes and candy, and a number of other things for sale at their bazaar, which will be held at the Y. M. C. A. December 15th. A nice lunch for ten cents will be served during the afternoon and evening.

### Council Appoints Police Judge.

The city council at its meeting last Thursday night appointed Mr. A. B. McCracken special Police Judge, to serve in the absence of Judge J. H. James, who is in the South with his family and will be absent some weeks. The council could hardly have made a better selection than Mr. McCracken, who is highly qualified, and will make a capable, efficient official.

Days are almost at the shortest, and everyone notices that it gets later earlier than before.

Mr. Albert McIntosh has been put on as special deputy marshal for the depot section until the first of the year, and he is doing very effective work, keeping down all kinds of disorder and in every way making an exemplary officer. It is a certainty that there will be no continued disorder in his district, as he is right on the job, and will nip all disturbances in the bud. He is the kind of officer that has been needed.

Have your clothes pressed: Miss Arnold will do the work in best manner.

The Children of the Methodist Sunday School have decorated a Christmas tree. On this will be hung gifts for the less fortunate. Each child is expected to bring either an outgrown toy or a new one, and clothing, new or old, can be made useful. Fruit and money can be used. Contributions from any outside the Sunday School will be received at the parsonage and distributed.

New evaporated peaches, prunes, raisins, citron, lemon and orange peel, at Howard's.

There was a near tragedy here last Friday morning, when a timber weighing several hundred pounds which was being lowered from the top of the tank in the rear of the Old Inn slipped from its rope fastening and crashed to the ground. Beneath the tank is a storage house used by G. M. Dexter & Co. and through the roof of this building the timber plunged, faulding near 300 pounds of dynamite. Luckily the dynamite was not exploded—if it had this story would not have been seen in these columns.

### For Sale.

A seven room house with water and light on Hopkinsville street, lot 85 by 300 feet. D. S. Duncan.

### Stray Notice.

Taken up by J. H. Lovell, as astray, living two miles west of Greenville, Ky., one male calf, dark brown, unmarked, valued by M. L. Hoggess at \$6. This, the 11th. day of November, 1911.

Subscribed and sworn to before me by J. H. Lovell, this, Nov. 11, 1911.

J. J. Rice, J. M. C. C.

Taken up as astray by J. H. Pittman, living in Greenville, Ky., one Jersey heifer, unmarked, about 20 months old, valued by J. E. Coombs and Frank Richardson at \$10. Subscribed and sworn to by J. H. Pittman before me, this, Nov. 20, 1911.

J. H. Lovell, J. P. M. C.

Taken up as astray, by W. S. Mathis, at his farm five miles East of Greenville, Ky., one red and white heifer about 18 months old, unmarked, and valued by W. R. Royal at \$12.00.

Subscribed and sworn to before me by W. S. Mathis. This December 2nd., 1911.

J. J. Rice, J. M. C. C.

Miss Lena Arnold will appreciate your laundry and clothes pressing. Call 5-2 for prompt service.

### Notice to Stockholders.

There will be held at the office of the First National Bank, Greenville, Ky. on Tuesday, January 9th, 1912, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 12 m. an election for the purpose of electing seven directors for the ensuing year.

Dec. 7, 1911.

Geo. T. Reynolds, Jr. Secy.

At a recent meeting of the board of directors of the Evergreen Cemetery Co. an order was adopted for bidding lot owners from planting or sowing anything on lots except blue grass. On application the board will grant privileges of planting trees, shrubbery, etc., but no work of this kind will be permitted except as granted.

Give us your order for fresh meat. Quick delivery. Coombs & Co.

## CITY ORDINANCES.

An Ordinance to regulate the use of Septic Tanks in the City of Greenville.

The City Council of the City of Greenville do ordain as follows: That from and after May 1, 1912, and within a reasonable time thereafter, every occupant or owner of any dwelling in the City of Greenville equipped with water shall construct on said premises a septic tank into which shall be conducted all outflow and sewage from such closets and toilets.

Said tanks shall be constructed of concrete with the top covering not to extend above the surface of the ground, and with walls, floors and coverings to be built not less than six inches in thickness. No tank shall be constructed of less dimensions than five feet in depth, four feet in width and seven feet in length and shall be constructed according to scientific and approved plans and shall be built at the direction and under the supervision of the Street Committee of the City of Greenville.

Any person or persons failing for an unreasonable time to comply with the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in the sum of \$25.00.

Filed Nov. 10, 1911.

Adopted Dec. 7, 1911.

J. W. LAM, Mayor.

Orien L. Roark, Clerk.

### Y. M. C. A. Notes.

On last Sunday the Intermediates and Juniors tied for first place in the Bible class contest, each securing 25 points. The standing of the classes is as follows: Intermediates 105 points, Juniors 135, Seniors 75. These classes will meet at three o'clock in the Y. M. C. A., and visitors are welcome at any and all of them. Come and join one of the classes, it is not too late.

In the Junior class they have a contest for the finding of Scripture reference. In this contest Joe Morgan is first with 21 points; Spencer Pannell, second, with 20 points; Mallory Pittman, third, with 15 points.

On the last Tuesday of this month five new members will be elected to serve on the Board of Directors of the Y. M. C. A., one of them to serve for two years and four of them to serve three years from Jan. 1st., 1912. The Nominating Committee has named the following men to be voted for on Dec. 29th. at the Y. M. C. A. building: T. N. Belcher, J. S. Brizendine, A. W. Duncan, Leslie Harle, H. C. Lewis, M. B. McDonald, Paul Pannell, J. T. Reynolds, Jr., and C. W. Taylor. Every active member of the Association should bear this election in mind and be on hand to vote.

The books placed in the Y. M. C. A. here by the Kentucky Library Commission are being used by large numbers. If you have not availed yourself of this opportunity come in and select the ones you like and read them. They are for the use of the general public and there are no charges for the use of the books. They are for men, women and children.

The Association has on file the Sunday School Times, which is considered the best weekly on the Sunday School lessons. We want to extend a special invitation to the Sunday School teachers to use it. It always comes two weeks ahead of time and may during the first week be taken to your home for study, if you desire. Both men and women teachers are invited to make use of this excellent paper.

During Christmas week there will be two basket ball games here. The local Y. M. C. A. team will play the Jackson team which is composed of four local boys and one visitor. These will be very interesting and no doubt hotly contested games. Plan to see them. Next Friday night our team will play the Central City Athletics at Central City. Quite a few of the Greenville enthusiasts are planning to attend the game.

Let Mc fix your clock.

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We Handle None But the Best.

Our stocks are so large that you have every style and pattern, and size, and shape from which to select; and we make buying BY MAIL, just as easy and satisfactory as you can do it in the store. We have special things that you can get NOWHERE ELSE, such as:

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LOUISVILLE, KY.

Third and Market.

## Large Line

### Rockers, Odd Chairs and Diners in Stock

Some specials for the children

### Staple and Gift Articles in FURNITURE

# ROARK



Remember that we are not neglecting our regular trade for Holiday goods. Our regular stock has never been more complete than now, and we will have special goods for the feast.

C. M. Howard & Co.

There will be more home-made remembrances this Christmas than ever before known here; even the school children are devoting much time to this work, and with most gratifying results. This training of the child is of the utmost importance, as it not only encourages the spirit of the season but trains the child in useful handicraft.

We are prepared to make attractive prices to parties wanting Candy in quantities; let us figure with you.

C. M. Howard & Co.

Mr. Arthur Lovell is seriously ill at his home east of town, suffering from a complication of troubles that cause his family much anxiety. His condition yesterday was reported as unimproved.

If you want to try the new cooking fad we can furnish the cookery bags.

C. M. Howard & Co.

Mr. Paul Pannell, rural mail carrier, was cut off from home Tuesday by high water, and was unable to get here in time yesterday to make the usual trip.

Do not forget that we have the Perfection Oil Heaters at popular prices.

Howard.

The union revival services at the court house are continued with growing interest. The weather retarded the attendance the first of the week.

Give Miss Lena Arnold your pressing; ring 5-2 and call will be made.

Wanted—Some chickens, market price. J. E. Coombs & Co.

Mr. J. T. Reynolds, Jr., and wife were in Louisville a few days this week.

Messrs. T. B. Pannell, R. E. Wallace and J. W. Oates were in Frankfort at the inauguration of Gov. McCreary.

Fish Wednesday and Saturday at J. E. Coombs & Co.

There is considerable illness of a serious nature in and around town.

See Coombs & Co. before you sell your beef hides. o 27

The weather is about right now for pickled pigs feet, and we have the best.

Howard.

Mr. Chas. Summer, who has been confined for some time with a complication of ailments at the home of his father-in-law, Mr. Wm. Gibbs, at Luzerne, is in a very critical condition, and his family and friends have abandoned hope of his recovery. To his other afflictions has been added blindness.

You cannot appreciate the bargains in our special sale of Cut Glass unless you see them; we have sold to some of the best judges of Cut Glass in the City.

C. M. Howard & Co.

The Sentinel made its appearance in new dress and improved appearance last week, after an interruption of some ten weeks following the destruction of the plant by fire. The new location of the office is in the Phillips building, next to the Greenville Light & Water Co.

We have a few choice pieces enamel ware regular price 25 cents that we want to get out of the way and will offer them Saturday for TEN CENTS. Howard.

### Board of County Supervisors Appointed.

The county board of supervisors, which will meet the first Monday in January, has been appointed, and it composed of capable, representative fair-minded gentlemen. In their hands the tax-dodger will receive proper attention, and they will be able to make every citizen pay his share into the fund for public expenses. The county is short of funds for many needed improvements, and a proper assessment of property will alleviate this trouble. Following is the board: Magisterial district No. 1—Edgar Nicholls, South Carrollton. No. 2—S. O. Sears, Paradise. No. 3—Chas. W. Roark, Greenville. No. 4—J. C. Hardison, Weir. No. 5—LeRoy Craig, Graham. Central City—Effie Moore, John H. Richardson.

### The Woman's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. will have a bazaar on Friday afternoon and evening, Dec. 15th., at the Y. M. C. A. One of the features of the bazaar will be the doll dressing contest. Several nice prizes will be given for the most originally dressed doll. Every one invited to enter this contest; and the dolls will be sold at the bazaar.



### LUCKY CHIEF,

Registered Poland China Boar. Services at J. E. Coombs' farm at \$1, due when service is rendered.

J. E. COOMBS, Greenville, Ky.

We leave it to you to say how good is our furniture polish. We know it is the best we can buy, and sell under a guarantee. If not the best you ever used, return, and get your money quick—and pleasantly.

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